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NEW GAS WELL AT ROBINSON. Will Be Piped Into City for Light and Power.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Robinson III. Oct M —Another gas well at a depth of his feet has just been brought in on the Atlay land, just north of the Frice well, which is now being sped to Robinson. The new well will be used in conjunction with the Robinson well and piped to supply the city of Robinson with right and beat, and for name of actuality of the city of Robinson with right and beat, and for manufacturing suppose the city of Robinson with right and beat, and for manufacturing suppose. Refinson with fight and best, and for naturacturing purposes. It is not the intention to bring in the sill that lies about sixty feet below the san as Bendeman a Wees of Pittsburg, who own the wells and have practically learns on all the land in the county, are contemplating the drelling of a sufficient number of wells to supply Marshall, Ill., and Terre Haute, Ind.

The oil and gas field of Crawford is presumed to be two miles wide and runs through the center of the county. Only one dry well has been found, and it was one dry well has been found, and it

CUT FLESH AWAY HIMSELF. Man Bitten by Rattler Used Pocketknife in Woods.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. ESPUBLIC SPECIAL

Schalla Mo., Oct. 74.—Charles Johnson, residing west of Green Ridge, took extreme niethods to escape from the effects of a ratifernals site. Johnson was botton by a snake while wulking slong the M. K. & T. Ratiroud trock, and, hastily taking the lowerings from the indired member, cut the flock from the vicinity of the wound with a pocketknife. He then walled to town and had surgeons dress the self-indicted wound.

No ill effects from the poison of the snake were felf.

ANNIBAL CITY BREWERY SOLD

Albert S. Schorr of St. Louis Pays \$50,000 for Plant. PPUBLIC SPECIAL

Rannibal, Mo., Oct. M.—William Helling sold the Hamiltal City Scewery to Alert S. Schorr of St. Leuis, possession of be plant being given at once. It is easily but the price paid for the property in boart States. purchaser is a sen of Jacob R. of the Schotz-Kolkschneider brew-St. Louis. It is the intention to im-the local brewtry, which will be

Seeks to Recover \$9,000 Alleged to Have Been Intrusted to Suspended Post-Office Cashier for Investment.

Prancis B. Runder, who is under \$10,000 bond on a charge of being short more than \$9,000 in his accounts as eashier of the St. Louis Post Offics, was sued yesterday in the Circuit Court by his mother-in-law. Mrs. Clara Fickel, for \$9,000, which she alleges she intrusted to him to invest for her.

Mrs. Pickel filed two suits, one against him and the other against him and his him and the other against him and his wife.

Mrs. Pickel filed two suits, one against him the money in April, 1902. He invested it in bonds and other securities, which he retained for safekeeping and reinvestment, she avers. He gave her from time to time what purported to be the interest and profits of the investments, she alleges.

She demanded an accounting, but he refused to give it to her or her attorney the fused to give it to her or her attorney, she

alleges.

In the second suit she specified that in September, 1888, he purchased property fronting twenty-five feet on St. Vincent avenue, in city block No. 21% and placed the title to the property in the name of his wife. Catherine. The property was bought with funds which rightfully belonged to her, she alleges.

She asks that the title to the property be disvested out of his wife and vested in her. She is represented by Autorney Victor H. Falkenhainer.

ASKS POLICE TO AID HER IN LOCATING SON.

Frank Kersting, 16 Years Old, Missing From Home Since October 16.



FRANK KERSTING,

Who mysteriously disappeared from his

home.

Mrs. Johanna Kersting of No. 2819 Belt avenue, whose hisband is an invalid, yesterday requested the police to assist her in locating her 16-year-old son. Frank Kersting, who left his home October 16, presumably to go to work. He has not been seen since that time.

Mrs. Kersting says her son is the only support of his invalid father and mother and that he never expressed any intention of leaving home. She is almost protrated over the disappearance of her sontrated over the disappear leaving home. She is almost pros-ted over the disappearance of her son. trated over the disappearance of her son. Her son was employed by a butcher at St Louis and Arilington greenes. The police were also requested to locate two other boys. Charles Borkers, 14 years old, is a contortionist. He left his home, No. 417A Carter avenue. October 22. Sam Shimthvitz, 15 years old, of No. 1107 Wash street has been missing from his home since Menday morning.

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Mississippi Physicians Perplexed by Some Recent Deaths.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Jackson, Miss. Oct M.—The recent death from vellow fever at Vicksburg of Doctor Rauch, a well-known young phy-sicien, who was orgaged to fight the epidemic at Hamburg, has brought up for discussion among members of the medical frateratty the very interesting question of intromity from this disease.

While to the mind of a layman it may seem that acceptance of the messuite theory of transmission would necessarily mean the rejection of the doctrine of intromity able thy scians of long experience claim that this is not the case, that it is not possible for resonatives, as a general proposition, to twice infect the same verson, although they admit that in some instances this has seemingly occurred.

For instance, Doctor Kouch regarded biuself as an immune, having been very extically ill with fever at Edwards during the epidemic of 1887 Similarly. Doctor listry of the Marine Hospital Service, who contracted fever during the early period of the New Geleans infection also regarded himself as an immune. Physicians now claim, however, that these two members of the treefresion were either mistaken regarding the nature of their first illness, or the treefresion were either mistaken regarding the nature of their first illness, or the they belong to that very rare number of persons who have unquestionably had two cases of veilow fever, odds against which are fully lifel to 1.

In accepting the mosquite theory, however, it is very hard for the layingn who is in proximity to the disease to believe that if Madanta Stegomya triving the series into coes a system it would be impossible for her to repeat the offense. In other works, immunes will not be so certain of their immunity in the future, and are not likely to expose unnecessarily themselves to the disease. discussion among members of the medical fraterativ the very interesting question of

tain of their immunity in the future, and are not likely to expose unnecessarily themselves to the disease. "Here Fermalin" (Elmer & Amend), used as tooth and mouth wash in the morning.

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STATE LIBRARY ASSOCIATION. Railroad Washouts May Prevent

Many From Attending To-Day. REPUBLIC SPECTAL.

REPUBLIC SPECTAL.

Jefferson City, Mo., Oct. M.—The Missouri State Library Association convened here to-day in sixth annual session. The first meeting was held to-day in the evening, and the meetings will continue until Thursday evening.

An address on the subject of Histories, etc., was delivered by Mr. Gifford, librarian of the St. Louis Mercantile Library, at the Auditorium of the Carnegle Library in this city to-might, Several preminent librarians from various parts of the State are on the programme for Wednesday and Thursday, but the washouts on the relironals will probably prevent many of them from arriving.

After Mr. Gifford's address to-night, an informal reception was held in the Library Auditorium. The reception that was to have been tendered the librarians at the Governor's mansion to-marrow night had to be given up on account of the recent destructive fire at the mansion.

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TWO HUNDRED CONVERSIONS.

Religious Revival at Lincoln, Ill.,

Christian Church Closes. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Enrythile Special.
Lincoln, Id., Oct. N.—The revival meetine which has been in progress at the Christian Church in this city for all weeks has chosed.
The Reverend Allen Wilson, he evangelist, was assisted by W. J. Lint. a single, who has directed a chorus of seventy-five voices. There were 20 conversions and the added to the church. Mermed, Jaccard & King, Broadway, Cor. Locust.

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Judge Gives Policeman's Attorney Opportunity to Show He Had Right to Strike Miss Florence Keithley.

in order to give him an opportunity to do so Judge Cumminus; deferred his decision in the case for one week.

There were sixteen witnesses in the O'Brien case. Ten were summoned by the prosecution, and six, four policemen and two negroes, by the policeman under charges. The testimony of Miss Keithley and her mother. Mrs. Alvina Keithley, was corroborated by eight others, six of whom were women, and was the same as that given on previous occasions, when the case was under investigation.

Policeman O'Brien denied that he struck Miss Keithley. He declared that the young woman interfered with him in the discharge of his duty, and said he was compelled to arrest her and take her to the Ninth District Station.

O'Brien insisted that he pleaded with the woman to "let him alone," and quoting himself, said: "Lady, I will have to arrest you if you don't please let me alone."

O'Brien says Miss Keithley called him to the file of the Kiely's brutes." She felgned a fainting spell, he said, while she was being taken to the neilice station, and in catching her to prevent her from failing, O'Brien says he tore the woman's dress.

The trial occupied almost the whole of yesterday. Chief of Police Kiely was a speciator.

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JUDGE CUMMINGS DISMISSES CASE AGAINST HUSSEY.

Member of House of Delegates Acquitted on Charge of Carrying Concealed Wespons.

Frank Hussey, member of the House of Delegates from the Twenty-second Ward, was acquitted vesterday in the Court of Criminal Correction of a charge of carrying a concealed weapon. He was tried before Judge Campbell Cummings, sitting as a special judge.

Hussey was charged with carrying a revolver early in the morning following the volver early in the mounting following the numbelpal election last spring. He was ar-rested at Jefferson avenue and Olive street by Policeman Felix Morphy and a revolver was found in his pocket. volver early in the revolver was found in his pocket.

Husery said that he had not violated the law governing the carrying of weapons within 100 feet of the rolling places, and that it was not his intention to violate the law. He ordered to the satisfaction of Judge Cummings that his life had been threatened on election day by necroes and that he secured a revolver for his own protection. Judge Cummings thought the facts sufficient to warrant the carrying of a weapon at that hour in the carrying of a weapon at that hour in the morning and Hussey was discharged.

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NEGRO STABS CONDUCTOR

Boards Car After Being Ejected for Nonpayment of Fare.

After ejecting a negro passenger from nis car at I weith and Market streets yes-terday morning. Conductor litrl Kilgore of No. 512 Walnut street was stabled in the right forsarm. After being put off the car because of his failure to pay fare, the negro jumped aboard again and stabled the conductor with a pocket knife. The negro escaped. The necro escaped.

Kilsore says the negro boarded the car at Pifteenth and Market streets. He refused to pay his fare, and after carrying him three blocks Kilsore stopped his car and put him off. The negro drew his knife, boarded the oar again and attempted to cut the conductor's throat. Kilsore stopped his car in front of the City Dispensary and had his wound dressed.

W. J. Hunter Elected President. REPUBLIC SPECIAL Martien, II., Oct. M.—The thirty-eighth annual reunion of the Twenty-third Regiment. Historis Volunteer Infantry, has come to a close at Nooga and the following efficers have been elected: President, W. J. Hunter, Paris, vice president, J. H. Mann, Paris; secretary, E. A. Ewing, Nooga; treasurer, S. F. Wilson, Neoga.

DECISION DEFERRED | PRESBYTERIANS MEET SHERIFF STOPS SALE IN O'BRIEN CASE AT BROOKFIELD, MO OF TRADING ST

Missouri Synod Convenes With Office of St. Louis Trading Asso-Doctor S. J. Niccolls of St. Louis in the Chair-Good Attendance From Over the State.

dent of Westminster College, will make an address.

On Thursday the principal address will be by H. P. Faris of Clinton on "Temperance and Citizenship."

On Friday the chief work of the synod will be the reports of committees.

During the week there will be something like 169 prominent Presbyterian ministers present, with as many lay delegates. Among the more distinguished members of the synod present are the Reverend George Reynolds, pastor of the Seventh Church of Kansas City. and the Reverend William S. Smalley, pastor of the Third Church of Kansas City. Doctor Niccolls of St. Louis has been Moderator for more than forty years. The other prominent pastors present from St. Louis are the Reverend Harris H. Gregg of Compton and Washington avenues the Reverend S. C. Palmer, Lafavette Park: the Reverend F. W. Russell, West Church.

Others are the Reverend J. F. Handy, Jefferson City: the Reverend B. E. Bringfield, Springfield, the Reverend S. Edwards Henry, Moberly, and the Reverend R. M. Ely, St. Charles.

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BURNS HIS FINGER OFF TO PREVENT LOCKIAW

Action of Wealthy Physician Springfield, Mo., Causes Inquiry as to His Sanity.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Springfield, Mo., Oct. 24.—Imbued with the hallucination that he must burn one of his fingers off to save himself from locklaw, which he thought would result from a wound on his chin, Doctor M. C. Burton. from a wound on his chin, Doctor M. C. Burton, a prominent and wealthy physician of this city, held his hand over the flame of a lamp until one of the leaser fingers was burned to a crisp.

Following the self-administered treatment, the doctor was taken before the Probate Court for investigation as to his sanity. An order was made by the court this week to place the physician under the week to place the physician under the management of the Public Administrator.

It is said that several sales of property which belonged to the physician will be-investigated, and if not found regular will be set aside The Clerk of To-Day

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MURDER TRIAL AT LEXINGTON Elias Johnson Is Accused of Mur dering His Wife.

REPUBLIC SPECTAL. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Lexington, Mo., Oct. M.—The trial of Elias Johnson, charsed with murder in the first degree, was begun here to-day in the Criminal Court. The case was sent here on a change of venue from Saline County.

Johnson is charged with killing his wife on December 3, 1961. His plea is that his wife was killed by the accidental discharge of a gun while he was trying to shoot an owl. There are 150 witnesses, among them his two daughters and his mother, To years old.

The trial will here all week.

ciation Closed on Attachment Secured by Bank to Recover on

The decision in the case of Patrolman James P. O'l'tries, charged with seauthing this Florence Keithley of No. 227 Stord dard street, at Jefferson are me and Morre an servet. Amount II, was reserved by Special Judge Campbell Cummins in the Court of Criminal Correction yesterday to reason the Court of Criminal Correction yesterday to remain the court of the State during the day.

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REDUCES COTTON ESTIMATE. Secretary Woods Says Mississippi Crop Will Be 1,112,000 Bales.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Jackson, Miss., Oct. 34.—Secretary Will

H. Woods of the Mississippi Cotton Association has issued an estimate showing that the cotton crop in this State this year will be only 1,112,000 bales.

This is a reduction of about 4 per cent from the estimate issued by the association thirty days ago, and shows that there has been considerable deterioration in crop prospects, due to the heavy rains that have been general in the principal cotton-growing districts of the State. The estimate thirty days ago placed the State crop at 1,750,000 bales. Last year's crop, according to the Government figures, was 1,780,000 bales.

The cotton association is very much gratified over the many reports being received of aid being given by the State banking institutions to the cotton-holding movement, liberal advances being made at exceedingly low rates of interest to farmers who want to hold their crop for it cents or better. Very few banks in the State decline to make advances on reasonable terms, and quite a number of banks are publishing advertisements, teiling the farmers that they are willing to lend every possible aid to the movement.

23 Pounds Best Granulated Sugar \$1. Reliance Tea Co., No. 521 Franklin ave. CHARGE OF LARCENY DENIED William Amlung Declares Rig Was Given to Him.

William Amlung, who was arrested in Bast St. Louis Monday on suspicion of having stolen a horse and buggy from Eugene Fusz, cashier of the Regina Flour Mill Company, of No. 93 South Main street, was brought to St. Louis yesterday morning by Special Officers Tom McNeil and Edward Schenk and locked up in the holdover on a grand-larceny charge.

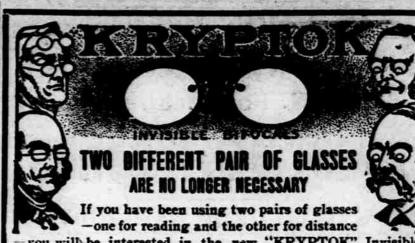
Amlung denies having stolen the horse and buggy. He says a man whose name he could not remember gave the rig to him.

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C. M. SHELDON SERIOUS ILL Reform Preacher-Anthor May Have to Undergo Operation.

REPURISC SPECIAL Topeka. Kas., Oct. M.—The Reverend Charles M. Sheidon, the reform preacher-author, is seriously ill at his home of disease of the stomach and kidneys and may have to submit to an operation. A consultation of physicians to-day pronounced his case alarming.

Mr. Sheldon returned from the East bunday and was taken ill immediately.



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SERVIEN AT HOSPITAL; TO BE SENT TO ASYLUM.

Detective McFarland Returns From Galveston With Fugitive Accused of Killing Countryman.

Emil Marie Servien, accused of murder and fugitive from the Farmington, Mo., Asylum for the Insane, was brought to St. Louis yesterday by Detective Hugh McFarland of Chief Desmond's staff. Servien is now held in an observation ward at the City Hospital, but will be removed to Farmington shortly.

Servien and the St. France's County feudist. Bill Dovley, escaped from the Farmington saylum several weeks sgo. It was Servien's second escape from that institution. He was caught at Galveston, where he went both times in an effort to work his way to Italy.

Dovley was captured after being at large four days. Servien shot and killed Charles Bonetti, a saloonkeeper at Eighth and Morgan streets, eight months ago. He was arrested, but escaped trial through a pien of insanity and was sent to Farmington.

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and was charged with entering the place and robbing the safe of \$117. IT'S IN THE MAKE, SATS H. A. Hesse, Tailor, N. R 7th and Locust.

Negro Snatches Woman's Purse.

While waiking on Blair avenue, between Newhouse avenue and North Park place, Monday evening, Mrs. Gustave P. Lindhardt. of No. 1417 Farragut street, had a purse containing 55 snatched from her hand by a negro. Thomas Quinian was found guilty of larceny by a jury in the Court of Criminal Correction yesterday and sentenced to



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